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SUBJECT: GERMAN EXPORT OF BALL BEARINGS TO THE GDR - IL 1601

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WE ARE CONCERNED WITH THE QUANTITY AND RELATIVE EASE WITH WHICH SUCH SMALL ITEMS MAY BE DIVERTED TO MILITARY/STRATEGIC USES. PRIMARY STRATEGIC APPLICATIONS ARE IN AIRCRAFT, AERO-SPACE AND GUIDED MISSILE SYSTEMS, ESPECIALLY INERTIAL GUIDANCE SYSTEMS. IN ORDER TO PROPERLY EVALUATE THIS EXCEPTION REQUEST, WE WOULD LIKE THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION:

- A. A TECHNICAL DESCRIPTION OF THE PRODUCT.
- B. THE NUMBER OF BEARINGS IN EACH UNIT.
- C. THE NUMBER OF UNITS THAT CAN BE PRODUCED IN A YEAR.
- D. A DESCRIPTION OF SIMILAR PRODUCTS PREVIOUSLY PRODUCED BY THE PLANT.

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THE RATIONALE FOR THE SELECTION OF A PRECISION BALL BEARING OF THIS TYPE MATERIAL VERSUS BEARINGS OF DIFFERENT MATERIAL OR LESS PRECISION WHICH ARE NOT UNDER EMBARGO. CHRISTOPHER

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